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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

See how the corn stalks in this rain.

Again the deadly combination of a railroad train and a whiskey bottle—at Essex Junction.

Very soon we may have the spectacle of one man fighting a nation—Ballinger vs. the United States.

"As soon as possible" the striking railroad men will be taken back. Have you found that date yet?

A swarthy man with a crippled left eye would do well to keep out of Massachusetts until Mr. Restelli is discovered.

Telling Vermonters how to make whiskey is a doubtful policy. Speakers before Vermont health schools should be careful.

At any rate, Vermont has a public service commission whose members have opinions of their own and are not afraid to express them.

A Crane was sent to move Ballinger, and the Boston Transcript remarks that if he fails they should send a mighty derrick. Better, the hook.

Political insurgency was not a mere whim in the middle West; and Speaker Cannon ought to know it now, after the several Republican state conventions have been held.

Dr. Cook is now on Lake George. Summer hotel business must be getting slack on the historic lake to cause the press agent to resort to such tactics. Poor Doctor Cook is good for all purposes.

There was a happy solution of the problem of getting the local employees of the Central Vermont railroad back in their former places; and it is to be hoped that similar opportunities may open up for the strikers elsewhere on the line of this railroad.

Brattleboro's board of trade has just demonstrated its usefulness to that community by securing a chair factory from Keene, N. H. It has taken some figuring and considerable patience; but the Brattleboro board of trade showed itself capable of both. With its strong supporting organization, Brattleboro is expected to show much development.

Those Boston newspapers are losing a splendid chance to write a lurid tale of determined man-hunts after a desperate character through the grain fields of Massachusetts. Or did they waste all their words on the pursuit by a Vermont deputy sheriff after a harmless tax-dodger? We repeat, they are letting splendid opportunities slip to display the "yellows."

Theodore Roosevelt's desire to learn, first-hand, of conditions in the mining regions of Pennsylvania is most commendable; but we submit that if he intends to write a well-founded article on the subject he should take more than a day's kaleidoscopic view of the conditions. He ought to take warning from Poulton Bigelow's trip to Panama and his subsequent article on the canal construction. Bigelow was sharply criticized for drawing too hasty conclusions. So Roosevelt might be.

MAKING AGRICULTURE MORE POPULAR.

New York City is getting ahead of Vermont by establishing the study of agriculture in some of the public schools, the move being made in the hopes that the field of agriculture shall become so attractive to the little city children that they will desire to take up their life in the country and thus relieve some of the congestion of the great city. Meanwhile Vermont children are getting a practical demonstration of the agricultural life, whether they will or not. The only advance which we do need in Vermont is the chance to teach them, not agriculture, but scientific agriculture. If the younger generation can be taught to see that agriculture is not merely a drudgery, they will be induced to take up their lot in their native state and thus retain for the old state much of its rightful sturdy blood. The new courses just being arranged for the Lyndon institute through the generosity of Theodore N. Vail, the telephone man, constitute about the first move for popularizing the study of agriculture. Of course, the state has had the Vermont agricultural college, with its excellent experiment station, at Burlington for some time; but it is not possible for any considerable percentage to take advantage of the opportunities offered there. That the new courses will prove popular is shown by the following statement from the Ludlow Tribune:

Word from Lyndonville is to the effect that many inquiries have been received as a result of the newspaper talk about the proposed agricultural indus-



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trial department in connection with the Lyndon institute, made possible by T. N. Vail's thoughtful generosity. The work of preparing suitable quarters for the new students is being hurried, and it is planned to have everything in readiness by the opening of the fall term. Many a Vermont boy should avail himself of this splendid chance for a practical training.

Other schools in Vermont may be expected to follow the same lines, as soon as the funds for the new work are forthcoming. Vermont will find it to her distinct advantage to increase schools of this sort.

Current Comment

Bashful Concord.

Concord is bashful. Restelli, the murderer, has been seen in almost every other place in New England where there is a granite quarry—Concord, N. H., Monitor.

Direct Primary Substitute.

The Barre Times thinks that the Vermont Fish and Game league has outlived its usefulness, because it has "degenerated into a political hatching ground." The Times would probably favor direct primaries as a substitute. —Essexburg Standard.

Tickling the New Englanders.

Up the streets of Leicester clattered a procession of gypsy wagons, and from a wagon which contained two gypsies a citizen received the friendly "gypsy salute," "Oh, there, bright eyes!" The citizen turned his head and made no answer; but he blushed; and, when she saw that he did blush, one of the gypsies dropped to the ground, administered several doses of subtle flattery, and finally offered to tell his fortune for fifty cents. The coin was given up, and the gypsy knotted it into her handkerchief. Then she produced a feather, with which she tickled her patron under the chin, at the same time telling him to close his eyes. He did so. Thereupon the woman started to climb into the wagon; but about this time the citizen waked up and demanded his half-dollar back, and after quite a tussle he got it. One of our most interesting local traits is that, even when a New Englander consents to play, he insists, upon his money's worth. —Boston Transcript.

"The Next Vermont Senate."

Vermont is so strongly Republican that as a rule the candidates whom the Republicans nominate for the upper branch of the legislature may safely be put down as constituting the Senate in the following October. Last year, for example, this rule held good, the only exceptions being in the case of Senator Kennedy of Chittenden county and Senator Wright of Grand Isle county. Judging from all accounts, these two counties will elect Republican senators this year, and it would not be strange if the coming Senate, like so many of its predecessors, were solidly Republican. If this should prove to be the case, then the following Republicans, who have been nominated by their respective counties, would form the next Senate:

Addison county—H. T. Cutts, Orwell; E. A. Field, Pantown.
Bennington county—Frank C. Archibald, Manchester; Henry T. Cushman, North Bennington.
Caledonia county—David E. Porter, St. Johnsbury; Dr. S. E. Darling, Hardwick.
Chittenden county—Max L. Powell, Burlington; George Norton, Huntington; John A. Smith, Jericho.
Essex county—Porter H. Dale, Brattleboro.
Franklin county—W. S. Shephardson, Fletcher; C. C. Sheldon, Highgate.
Grand Isle county—Solon S. Griswold, Grand Isle.
Lamoille county—A. A. Pike, Stowe.
Orange county—Lewis N. Seaver, Williamstown; Benjamin B. Scribner, Corinth.
Orleans county—F. G. Butterfield, Derby; M. M. Taplin, Barton.
Rutland county—H. R. Bardeen, Wallingford; Henry L. Clark, Castleton; E. C. Tuttle, Rutland; S. R. Hitchcock, West Haven.
Washington county—John W. Gordon, Barre; H. W. Lyford, Warren; Harry Daniels, East Montpelier.
Windham county—Edgar M. Butler, Jamaica; Edwin P. Adams, Marlboro.
Windsor county—E. A. Davis, Bethel; John C. Coolidge, Plymouth; E. H. Edgerton, Rochester. —Burlington Free Press.

A Good Example of Athletes.

A refreshing example of an athlete who apparently grows to be a better man with age until his superiority is less open to doubt at 40 or thereabouts, than it was at 35, is furnished by the present national lawn tennis champion, William A. Larned. While the question is perennially being debated whether this or that champion in some other sport is losing his grip, and whether he will not

soon be supplanted by a younger man, Larned, on the contrary, seems to draw further away from his competitors in point of skill as he grows older. Of late his victories have been more clean-cut and decisive than ever. It was nearly 20 years ago that he first became prominent as one of the leading tennis players of the country, and for more than a decade he occupied somewhat the position of the unbroken king of the sport in this country. At his best no one could equal him, but in those days he was notoriously erratic and uncertain, so that while he was generally the chief contender he was unable to carry off the actual title of national champion. His service with the rough riders in the war with Spain interrupted his tennis career only temporarily, and of late years he has apparently added such a degree of steadiness to his former unequalled brilliance as to make him uncontested. There is more than ordinary importance and interest in this exciting contest to the familiar story of athletic contests, in which the downfall of one champion and the rise of another is consistently described in the well-known line, "Youth will be served." To have thus improved with the passing years would be possible only for the best type of athlete, the man who leads a clean and temperate life. Moreover, such an example in any sport affords a healthy encouragement to all those young people who are painstakingly endeavoring to increase their proficiency. It has been said of lawn tennis that there is no inherent reason why a man should not go on improving until he is 45, and there have been champions in England of fully that age. Of recent years, the American style of play has tended toward undue and unnecessary violence, with various eccentric and exhausting strokes, but in spite of some striking examples among the younger players there seems just now to be a tendency toward a more rational and more fully rounded and graceful style, such as Larned himself represents, and such as for many years made the English players unequalled, although they lacked the swiftness of Larned's sharp volleys and rhythmical groundstrokes.—Springfield Republican.

Jingles and Jests

The Man's Man.

"The man's man," my Barney says—
An' Barney's newly married—
He's the man that knows the ways
The burdens should be carried.
Let the woman wear the grace
An' pleasein' pranks o' beauty,
Yet be mindful of her place
An' of her wifely duty.
By the crown within my hat,
The chief of all our riches,
I'll be king of this an' that;
An' sure I'll wear the breeches.
Yes, an', need be, I can teach
The 'Spanish way' o' walkin'.
There's my Barney's manful speech—
I listen to him talkin'.

"The man's man," my Barney says,
An', faith, my thoughts are carried
Back to well-remembered days.
When I was newly married.
An' there's was that lookin' down
Upon this house this minute
Knows who was it wore the crown
The whiles herself was in it.
Dull I was, but plain as day
'Tis now I'm seein' through it
How she let me have her way,
An' sure I never knew it.
Puffed with pride as I could be
An' struttin' round an' squawkin',
'Man's man!' see I, an' she—
She listened to me talkin'.
—Catholic Standard and Times.

Partly Settled.

"Have Mr. and Mrs. Squinchley compromised their matrimonial troubles yet?"
"Not quite. They agreed readily enough as to which one was to have the custody of the children, but they don't seem to be able to decide which is to have the choice of the automobile."
—Chicago Tribune.

Some Pay More.

The man was looking over the family bills as his wife glanced through the paper.

"Oh, John," she said, "it tells here of a young fellow who was fined \$6.84 for flirting."

"That's cheaper than I got off," replied the man, his eye still on the bills.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Mean Thing!

Edith—I told Clara, under promise of absolute secrecy, of our engagement. Fred—And she has spoken of it everywhere? Edith—No; the spiteful thing never mentioned it.—Illustrated Bits.

How Careless!

She (sweetly as they sip their tea together)—Isn't this delicious? He (absentmindedly)—Yes, I love to take rest with a little lemon.—Columbia Jester.

When a fool gets angry, he opens his mouth and shuts his eyes.

Governors
In the
Limelight

A. O. EBERHART.

GOVERNOR A. O. EBERHART of Minnesota is holding his head pretty high these days. And no wonder. Just think of being governor of a state having so much cash in its treasury that it probably won't be necessary to levy any taxes in 1911! The situation is one that has likely never before occurred in Minnesota or any other state.

At present the treasury is groaning under the burden of a surplus which has never been duplicated. On Oct. 1 there will be nearly \$4,000,000 in the state treasury. On Oct. 1, 1909, there was approximately \$2,000,000. The unusual surplus has arisen through the successful settlement of cases which have netted the state large sums of money. The largest of these items came from adjusted lumber cases, the gross earnings tax cases, the inheritance tax cases and others.

Not only have large sums of money come into the treasury through them, but there will be a constantly augmented stream, so that Minnesota bids fair to become a state unique in the history of taxation.

Governor B. F. Carroll of Iowa, who was recently indicted for criminal libel, tells many amusing political experiences. Once at a caucus the only attendant besides himself was a citizen of very tall stature and ponderous build. Mr. Carroll had some resolutions to pass which began by representing that they were presented to a "large and respectable" gathering of voters, and he proceeded to read and vote them on to the records of the caucus.

"Hold on!" cried the other man. "We can't pass that, for it ain't true."
"What isn't true?" demanded Carroll.
"It ain't a large and respectable caucus," objected the other member of



GOVERNOR B. F. CARROLL.

the assembly. "There's only two of us."

"That's all right, brother; that's all right," assured Carroll. "It goes as read. Just you keep still. This is a large and respectable caucus, all right. You're large, and I am respectable."

And the resolution passed without further demur.
The indictment of Carroll is the outgrowth of an investigation by the grand jury of affairs at the Iowa Industrial School for Girls at Mitchellville. It is alleged in the bill that the governor made libelous statements concerning John Cowrie, former chairman of the state board of control, in an article published in the Des Moines Capital of May 24, in which the governor set forth at length his reasons for demanding the resignation of Mr. Cowrie.

If you imagine that a governor doesn't know what real hard work is you should visit the farm of the chief executive of Missouri. When a bunch of politicians swooped down on Governor Hadley at his farm recently they found him shy of hands and facing the thrashing of his wheat from fifteen acres.

"A ha!" exclaimed the governor. "You're just in time. I'll feed you all if you work I need hands just now more than I need advice. Is it a bargain?"

"Sure!" John Swanger, bank examiner, and Mr. Lee, insurance commissioner, responded gayly. "Here's where we make a bit with the farmers."

The governor thrashed 135 bushels from his fifteen acres, or ten bushels to the acre. Finally Swanger had to give up; it was too hot.

The dinner of fried chicken was a dandy. This was where Swanger had a chance to shine.

He Pleased Her.
"She asked me how old I thought she was."

"What did you say?"

"Well, I perjured myself like a gentleman."—Detroit Free Press.

No amount of effort to save the world can make up for failure to sacrifice for the salvation of your own little world.—Henry F. Cope.

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50c Shirt Waists for 39c.
\$1.00 Black and White Waists for 59c.
\$1.19 Waist, Dutch Collar, 79c.
\$1.00 White Muslin Waist, 79c.
\$1.25 Dutch Neck Waist, 98c.
Samples, half price, 98c.
Waist, linen lace, \$1.25.
\$5.00 Black Net Waist, \$3.98.
\$2.25 Black Muslin Waist, \$1.75.

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MONTPELIER

State Board of Health Hears Berlin Protest About City Water.

The state board of health gave a hearing at the Pavilion hotel yesterday afternoon at the request of the Berlin board of health, which desires to have Montpelier either establish a filtration plant at Berlin pond or move its intake far enough into the pond so that there will be no chance for contamination. The Berlin witnesses told of the depreciation of the land values about the pond since the prohibition of bathing and the sealing of the pond as a summer resort. After hearing the Berlin case Dr. Holton, secretary of the state board of health, stated that nothing had been shown to demand an order for a filtration plant and that if Berlin had any complaints to make it would be well to bring them in writing.

After being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Bliss for some time, Misses Grace and Beatrice Bailey left yesterday for their home in Rockford, Ill.

Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Hamburg have returned to Montpelier after a month's vacation, and the former will resume his pastorate of the Baptist church next Sunday.

The funeral of Horace D. Robins, who was drowned in the Worcester branch, was held from the home of Addison Minot yesterday afternoon, Rev. G. H. Taylor officiating. The body was taken to Putnam, N. Y., for burial.

Lewis Jackson Hathaway of this city was married at Bethel last evening to Miss Grace Louise Tupper, daughter of George Herbert Tupper of Bethel, the wedding taking place in the Universalist church with Rev. H. A. Parkhurst officiating, assisted by Rev. J. Edward Wright of Montpelier. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Marion Tupper, and the groom by Charles A. Wing. Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway will reside at 9 Winter street, in this city. He is instructor of music and theory at Montpelier seminary and organist of the Church of Messiah. Many Montpelier people attended the wedding.

WATERBURY.

Miss Rose Gibson is visiting relatives in Barre.

Mrs. John Rogers was called to Brain-tree Saturday by the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goddard and two daughters of Springfield, Mass., are at the home of B. F. Hart.

Arthur Miller spent Sunday at Highgate. The Misses Ethel and Gertrude Miller went to-day for a few days' outing.

Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Graves of Brooklyn have arrived in town for a few days, before going into camp at Malletts bay.

Mrs. Bertrand Hart and children of Randolph, who have been ill at the home of Jerome Hart, have returned home.

Miss Olive Nichols has returned to Burlington, after spending several weeks in town, the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. E. Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Clark of Enfield, N. H., and William Blair of Hobart, N. H., who have been spending two weeks at the home of Allen Fogg, have returned to Enfield.

The Vermont Girls held a meeting at Mrs. Redmond's yesterday afternoon.

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when Miss Fontinelle Nichols gave a talk regarding the children's work at the Mary Fletcher hospital.

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Overcharged.

Bell—Did I understand you to say that the dentist overcharged you?
Nell—Yes; he gave me enough gas to inflate a balloon.—Kansas City Journal.

Not to Blame.

The Elderly Lady—They say his wife has money. The Younger—Well, that isn't his fault. They're only been married a short time.

Obedience is not truly performed by the body of him whose heart is dissatisfied.—Baptist.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—
Personal Property

On account of sickness and being unable to care for my stock, I will sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder on

Tuesday, August 9, 1910

at one o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises where I now live in Berlin, Vt., formerly known as the John Scott farm, and situated three miles from Montpelier, the following:—

12 Fancy Half Blood Holstein Cows

young and good size, and commencing to come in this month; they are a nice lot, all good ones. Also 7 yearling heifers, all grade Holsteins, 2 horses, 1 five years old, weight about 1,100 pounds, sound, stylish and a beauty, 1 older horse, weight 1,100, good worker and driver, 4 shoats, 3 eight weeks old pigs, and other articles not mentioned. This is all good property and would not be sold only for the reason above given.

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